

In Claims

Claim 28, line 1, after "wherein" insert --further--.

Claim 28, line 2, after "is" insert --electrical and--.

Claim 28, delete lines 3-11 in their entirety and insert

--at least one of a plurality of electrical batteries located in a power supply compartment of said handle means of said handle portion of said portable cleaning device;

an electrical motor including said axle and providing said clockwise rotation of said axle or said counterclockwise rotation of said axle of said portable cleaning device, and wherein said electrical motor is installed in at least one of a plurality of holders located in said handle means, and an electrical power for said electrical motor is provided by said at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries;

an electrical switching means providing said control of said power supply of said portable cleaning device, and wherein said electrical switching means comprises said three positions, wherein said first position of said three positions provides said turning-off of said power supply, said second position of said three positions provides said clockwise rotation of said axle, and said third position of said three positions provides said counterclockwise rotation of said axle, and wherein said switching from said second position to said third position or said switching from said third position to said second position is provided through said first position of said electrical swi-

tching means, and wherein said at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries is appropriately electrically connected to said electrical motor through said electrical switching means, and wherein the electrical connection of said at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries with said electrical motor and with said electrical switching means is provided by electrical contacts and/or electrical wires.--

Claim 29, line 2, change "a telescopic" to --said telescopic--.

Claim 29, line 3, change "a handle" to --said handle--, and before "at least" insert --said--.

Claim 29, line 4, change "an aperture for" to --said aperture for said--, and delete "of at lest one".

Claim 29, line 5, change "portion, said axle, and" to --portion or said axle or--, and after "connection means" insert --of said portable cleaning device--.

Claim 33, line 1, change "32" to --28--.

Claim 33, line 2, delete "connecting said electrical power supply with said electrical motor and said switching".

Claim 33, line 3, delete "means comprising said three positions " and before "is" insert --of said portable cleaning device, providing said clockwise rotation or said counterclockwise rotation of said brush portion,--.

Claim 34, line 1, change "32" to --28--.

Claim 34, line 2, before "switching" insert --electrical--.

Claim 34, line 3, delete "at least one of".

Claim 34, line 4, change "electrical power supply" to --at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries-- and after "in said" insert --power supply compartment of said-- and change "and a co-

nfiguration” to --or a configuration--.

Claim 34, line 5, change “a replacement” to --said replacement-- and delete “electrical po--”.

Claim 34, line 6, change “wer supply” to --at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries--.

Claim 35, line 2, after “device” insert --is mechanical and--.

Claim 35, line 4, change “a handle” to --an actuating handle-- and after “said” insert --actuating-- and delete “and by”.

Claim 35, line 5, delete “another end is coupled with said axle” and before handle insert --actuating--.

Claim 35, delete lines 7, 8 in their entirety.

Claim 35, line 9, change “connected to” to --coupled with-- and after “axle” insert --which is--.

Claim 35, line 10, after “portion” insert --of said portable cleaning device--.

Claim 35, line 13, change “said power” to --the mechanical power --.

Claim 35, line 15, change “a switching ” to --said switching--.

Claim 35, line 17, after “portion” insert --of said mechanical switching means--.

Claim 37, line 1, change “to a” to --said--.

Claim 37, line 2, change “wherein a” to --wherein said--.

Claim 37, line 3, before “at least” insert --said-- and change “comprises an” to --comprises said--.

Claim 37, line 4, before “unobstructed” insert --said-- and delete “of at lest one” and delete “portion.”.

Claim 37, line 5, change “said axle, and” to --portion or said axle or--.

**Claim Amendment****1-25 (canceled)****26 (previously presented)** A portable cleaning device, comprising:

a brush portion including

a telescopic portion comprising at least two of a plurality of telescopic sections;

a cleaning brush coupled with said telescopic portion of said portable cleaning device;

a handle portion comprising

a power supply located in said handle portion of said portable cleaning device, wherein said power supply includes an axle, and wherein said power supply provides a rotation of said axle which is coupled with said telescopic portion;

a handle means including at least one front wall which includes an aperture for unobstructed passage of said axle or said telescopic portion of said portable cleaning device;

a switching means coupled with said power supply, wherein said switching means provides a control of said power supply of said portable cleaning device, and wherein said switching means comprises three positions, wherein a first position of said three positions provides a turning-off of said power supply, a second position of said three positions provides a clockwise rotation of said axle, and a third position of said three positions provides a counterclockwise rotation of said axle,

and wherein a switching from said second position to said third position or said switching from said third position to said second position is provided through said first position.

**27. (canceled)**

**28. (currently amended)** The device of claim 26, wherein further said power supply of said portable cleaning device is electrical and comprises

~~an electrical motor electrically coupled with said switching means of said portable cleaning device, wherein said electrical motor includes said axle, and wherein said electrical motor provides said clockwise rotation of said axle by said switching of said switching means in said second position or said counterclockwise rotation of said axle by said switching of said switching means in said third position;~~

~~an electrical power supply located in a power supply compartment of said handle means of said handle portion of said portable cleaning device, and wherein said electrical motor, installed in at least one of a plurality of holders located in said handle means, is electrically coupled with said switching means and with said electrical power supply.~~

at least one of a plurality of electrical batteries located in a power supply compartment of said

handle means of said handle portion of said portable cleaning device;

an electrical motor including said axle and providing said clockwise rotation of said axle or said counterclockwise rotation of said axle of said portable cleaning device, and wherein said electrical motor is installed in at least one of a plurality of holders located in said handle means, and an electrical power for said electrical motor is provided by said at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries;

an electrical switching means providing said control of said power supply of said portable cleaning device, and wherein said electrical switching means comprises said three positions, wherein said first position of said three positions provides said turning-off of said power supply, said second position of said three positions provides said clockwise rotation of said axle, and said third position of said three positions provides said counterclockwise rotation of said axle, and wherein said switching from said second position to said third position or said switching from said third position to said second position is provided through said first position of said electrical switching means, and wherein said at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries is appropriately electrically connected to said electrical motor through said electrical switching means, and wherein the electrical connection of said at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries with said electrical motor and with said electrical switching means is provided by electrical contacts and/or electrical wires.

**29. (currently amended)** The device of claim 28, wherein said axle is further coupled with a ~~telescopic~~ said telescopic portion of said portable cleaning device through a connection means, and wherein a ~~handle~~ said handle means of said portable cleaning device includes said at least one front wall which comprises ~~an aperture for~~ said aperture for said unobstructed passage of at least one of said telescopic portion, ~~said axle, and portion or said axle or said connection means of said portable cleaning device.~~

**30. (canceled)**

**31. (canceled)**

**32. (canceled)**

**33. (currently amended)** The device of claim 32 28, wherein further at least one of said electrical contacts ~~connecting said electrical power supply with said electrical motor and said switching means comprising said three positions of said portable cleaning device, providing said clockwise rotation or said counterclockwise rotation of said brush portion,~~ is a spring electrical contact.

**34. (currently amended)** The device of claim 32 28, wherein further said handle means of said handle portion of said portable cleaning device, comprising said electrical switching means including said three positions, comprises ~~at least one of~~ a sectional configuration to provide a replacement of said electrical power supply ~~at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries~~ in said power supply compartment of said handle portion, ~~and a configuration or a configuration~~ comprising a covered opening to provide a ~~replacement~~ said replacement of said electrical power supply ~~at least one of said plurality of electrical batteries~~ in said handle portion.

**35. (currently amended)** The device of claim 26, wherein further said power supply of said portable cleaning device is mechanical and comprises

a mechanical means including

~~a handle an actuating handle comprising a shaft rigidly connected by one end with said actuating handle and by another end is coupled with said axle, and wherein said actuating handle is mounted on a back wall of said handle means of said handle portion of said portable cleaning device;~~

~~a second aperture located into said back wall and providing an unobstructed passage of said shaft of said handle into said handle means;~~

~~a spring located in said handle means and mechanically connected to coupled with said axle which is coupled with said telescopic portion of said portable cleaning device;~~

~~a mechanical switching means mechanically coupled with said axle, and wherein said mechani-~~

cal switching means comprises said three positions, wherein said first position of said three positions provides said turning-off of ~~said power~~ the mechanical power supply, said second position of said three positions provides said clockwise rotation of said axle, and said third position of said three positions provides said counterclockwise rotation of said axle, and wherein ~~a switching~~ said switching from said second position to said third position or said switching from said third position to said second position is provided through said first position of said mechanical switching means.

**36. (canceled)**

**37. (currently amended)** The device of claim 35, wherein said axle is further connected to a said telescopic portion of said portable cleaning device through a connection means, and ~~wherein a~~ wherein said handle means of said portable cleaning device includes said at least one front wall which comprises ~~an~~ said aperture for said unobstructed passage ~~of at least one~~ of said telescopic portion, ~~said axle, and portion or said axle or~~ said connection means.

**38. (canceled)**